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House Resolution 24

By: Representatives Dickson of the 6th and Meadows of the 5th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Remembering and honoring the life of Mr. Larry A. Loughridge; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia and Murray County lost a most estimable citizen on October
- 3 9, 2006, with the passing of Mr. Larry Loughridge of Chatsworth, Georgia; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Larry graduated North Whitfield High School, attended Abraham Baldwin
- 5 Agricultural College and was a graduate of the University of Georgia, a farmer, educator, and
- 6 active member of the Holly Creek Baptist Church; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he gave many years of dedicated service to Murray County's Farm Bureau serving
- 8 on the Board of Directors as president, vice-president and member; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he was past board member for the Murray County Red Cross, Charter member of
- 10 the Rotary Club, past Director and member of the Young Farmers Association, member of the
- 11 Murray County and Northwest Georgia Cattlemen's Association, Director and past President
- 12 for the Georgia Santa Gertrudis Association, Director of the National Polled Santa Gertrudis
- 13 Association, supervisor of the Limestone Valley Soil and Water Conservation District, Murray
- 14 County's representative for the Limestone Valley RC and D council and member of the Farm
- 15 Services Committee for Murray County; and
- 16 WHEREAS, he approached these positions with a true sense of duty and responsibility and
- 17 provided outstanding leadership and service to Murray County; and
- 18 WHEREAS, he leaves behind his loving and devoted family, including his wife, Linda Davis
- 19 Loughridge; his daughters and sons-in-law Nicole and Eric Shields and Andrea and Jason
- 20 Ridley; son John Amos Loughridge; grandsons Preston Tate Shields and Tucker Davis Ridley;
- and his sister and brother-in-law Janette and Steve Cadwell; and

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1 WHEREAS, all who had the privilege to know this extraordinary gentleman will always

- 2 affectionately remember him for his strength, integrity, kindness, and devotion as a husband,
- 3 father and grandfather.
- 4 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that the
- 5 members of this body join in remembering and honoring the life of Mr. Larry Loughridge, and
- 6 extend their most sincere condolences to his family and friends.
- 7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized and
- 8 directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Larry Loughridge and
- 9 family.